

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 342

By Lamar

A RESOLUTION to honor the memory of Traveon Tawon Hill of Memphis.

WHEREAS, the members of this General Assembly were greatly saddened to learn of the untimely passing of Traveon Tawon Hill, an impactful and talented young man with a desire to change the world; and

WHEREAS, born on October 11, 2003, at Methodist Hospital in Memphis, Mr. Hill was a student at Sheffield High School, where he maintained a 4.0 GPA and involved himself in various sports, including football, soccer, track, basketball, and bowling; following in his mother's footsteps, he was passionate about playing basketball, and his favorite professional basketball team was the Boston Celtics; and

WHEREAS, a determined, well-mannered, and hardworking young man, Traveon Hill dedicated his time to a host of extracurricular programs to expand his mind and exercise his intellect; he was a member of Amp, Trios, and Upward Bound; and

WHEREAS, known by some as Trey, TreyTheWise, Noev'Art, and SmartBrother, Mr. Hill aspired to become a politician, lawyer, and pastor; he desired to change the world and leave a positive impact on each individual with whom he came in contact; and

WHEREAS, Traveon leaves behind an indelible legacy of integrity and probity in public life, compassion and loyalty in private life, and diligence and dedication in all his chosen endeavors; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting that we should remember the bountiful life of this exceptional public servant and human being; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE

CONCURRING, that we honor the memory of Traveon Tawon Hill, reflecting fondly upon his impeccable character and his stalwart commitment to living the examined life with courage and conviction.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that we express our sympathy and offer our condolences to the family of Mr. Hill.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.